



**Nurse Practitioners in Long Term Care – Models that Work**  
*Mercer County Community College, West Windsor, NJ*

**April 29, 2015**

**Registration:** 9 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

**Fee:** NJHA/LANJ/NJADONA Member: \$159 ea.

**Program:** 9:30 a.m. – 2:45 p.m.

Non-member: \$199 ea.

**Location:** The Conference Center at Mercer  
Mercer County Community College  
1200 Old Trenton Road, West Windsor, NJ 08550

As clinical care is changing in long-term care settings such as assisted living, skilled nursing facilities (SNFs) and continuing care retirement communities, many organizations have incorporated nurse practitioners into their clinical model of care. In SNFs, Medicare-covered stays have increased and new payment models continue to develop. To improve quality, outcomes and resident satisfaction, greater emphasis is being placed every day on minimizing the unnecessary use of emergency departments and hospital stays for residents. Faculty will describe the scope of practice for nursing practitioners, explain different ways in which the nurse practitioner can be incorporated into the interdisciplinary clinical team, and discuss strategies for overcoming potential barriers to success – financial, clinical and cultural.

**OBJECTIVES:**

- Understands the scope of practice of nurse practitioners in New Jersey
- Learns key aspects of successful models of integrating APNs into the clinical team
- Identifies important roles that APNs play in advance care planning and improving quality
- Understands potential barriers to integration of an APN and strategies for addressing them
- Learns the benefits derived from having an APN as part of the team.

**TARGET AUDIENCE:**

Long term care executives and administrators in assisted living, skilled nursing facilities, CCRCs, directors of nursing and wellness nurses, and medical directors

## **CONTINUING EDUCATION CREDIT:**

Health Research and Educational Trust is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the New Jersey State Nurses Association, an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation. Provider Number P131-1/15-18.

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This continuing education program is sponsored/conducted by the Health Research and Educational Trust and is in compliance with N.J.A.C. 8:34-7.3 to provide licensed nursing home administrator (LNHA) and certified assisted living administrator (CALA) education credits accepted by the Nursing Home Administrators Licensing Board. This education activity may only be used for continuing education credit and not to meet academic college credits.

This education activity has been approved for a maximum of **4.25** LNHA/CALA credits.

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## **AGENDA**

- 9:30 – 9:45 a.m. *Welcome and Overview*
- 9:45 – 10:15 a.m. **The Nurse Practitioner’s Scope of Practice in New Jersey**  
  
*Rose Knapp, DNP, RN, APN-BC*  
President of the NJSNA Forum of Nurses in Advanced Practice  
Assistant Professor/Graduate Faculty Nurse Practitioner  
Marjorie K. Unterberg School of Nursing and Health Studies  
*Monmouth University*
- 10:15 – 11:00 a.m. **Advance Care Planning and End-of-Life Care –  
The Role of Nurse Practitioners**  
  
*Susan Polito, RN, MSN*  
Specialist Professor  
*Monmouth University*
- 11:00 – 11:30 a.m. **Federal and State Regulatory Parameters Regarding  
Nurse Practitioners in SNFs**  
  
*Katherine Cochran, RN*  
Supervisor of Inspections  
Health Facility Survey and Field Operations  
*New Jersey Department of Health*

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11:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<p><b>Successful Models for Integrating APNs</b>  <b>(Wiley Mission, AristaCare, Greenwood House and Virtua)</b></p> <p><i><b>Bridgette Henderson, RN, APN-C</b></i>  Nurse Practitioner  <i>Wiley Mission</i></p> <p><i><b>Tina LaPelosa, BSN, RNC, CDONA/LTC</b></i>  Corporate Administrator  <i>AristaCare Health Services</i></p> <p><i><b>Deborah Hunter, RN</b></i>  Assistant Executive Director  <i>Greenwood House Home for Jewish Aged</i></p> <p><i><b>Jennifer Khelil, DO</b></i>  Program Director – Post Acute Services  <i>Virtua Health System</i></p>
12:30 – 1:30 p.m.	<i>Networking Luncheon</i>
1:30 – 2:00 p.m.	<i>Continuation of Panel Presentations</i>
2:00 – 2:30 p.m.	<i>Question and Answer</i>
2:30 – 2:45 p.m.	<i>Program Evaluation and Adjournment</i>

## 2015 Registration Guidelines

### **PAYING BY CREDIT CARD**

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<http://hret-registration.njha.com>

Note: For security purposes, please **DO NOT** mail credit card information with your security code to the P.O. Box. Save time and register online through our secure Web site.

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Friday, April 24, 2015**

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- For program inquiries, please contact Nancy Winter at [nwinter@njha.com](mailto:nwinter@njha.com)
- For registration and payment inquiries, please call (609) 275-4180.

### **CANCELLATION POLICY**

- Cancellations received by April 17, will receive a refund minus a \$50 administrative fee.
- No refunds will be issued after the deadline or for no-shows.
- Registrants unable to attend may send an alternate.

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<b>Seminar:</b>	EDU 1531

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